GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

Abstract

PRED – PRI Division Nalgonda – Court case – Judgment and decree in O.S. No. 8/2004 of the Principal District Judge, Nalgonda – Release of grant for making payment with interest – Release of an amount of Rs.20,65,366=00 under MRR Grant 2010-2011 – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (PROGS.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 919 Dated: 24TH June, 2010

Read:-

From the Engineer-in-Chief, P.R., Hyderabad, Letter No.B.PR/3526/Nlg./2010, dated: 24.4.2010 and dt. 10.5.2010.

ORDER:

In the reference read above, Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj has reported that administrative sanction was accorded for purchase of automatic leveling instruments by the Zilla Parishad, Nalgonda Standing Committee I & VII (joint) which was held on 13.11.1999 for using instruments in 24 Mandals and 5 sub-divisions in P.R. Division, Nalgonda under 1% T & P grant. It is also reported that the instruments which were purchased were utilized for survey of roads and under major works i.e. PMGSY and NABARD etc. Further on the basis of orders of Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, a cheque for Rs. 5,98,860 has been sent on 30.3.2002 towards the supply of instruments and the same was acknowledged by the firm under protest. Subsequently, the firm has filed W.P.No.115673/2002 in the A.P. High Court against the proceedings reducing the quotation amount. The Hon'ble High Court set aside the W.P. with an order on 17.7.2002 to seek redress in Civil Court. and as such the firm has filed O.S.No.8/2004. The Principal District Judge, Nalgonda in its Judgment and decree in O.S.No.8/2004 dated: 24.11.2009 has ordered that " .. this suit is decreed for Rs.13,27,597/- with interest at 12% p.a. on principal amount from the date of suit till the date of decree and at 6% p.a. from the date of decree till the date of realization. The plaintiff is also entitled for suit costs."

- 2. Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj has also reported that an amount of Rs.20,65,366=00 is required to be paid including interest in the light of the judgment in O.S.No.8/2004. In this regard, it is reported that as of now, T & P Grant is not operative by the PRI Divisions and no funds are available under T&P Grant. The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj has therefore, requested the Government to release from RRM Grant an amount of Rs.20,65,366=00 for making payment to the party as per the court orders and issue necessary orders in this regard.
- Government after careful examination of the matter, hereby accord administrative sanction for release of an amount of Rs.20,65,366=00 (Rupees twenty lakhs, sixty five thousand and three hundred and sixty six only) under MRR Grant 2010-11, for making payment to the party i.e. M/s Avembo Enterprises, Hyderabad towards supply of "Automatic leveling instruments with all accessories to (5) PR Divisions and 24 Mandals in the jurisdiction of PR Division, Nalgonda, as per the Court orders in O.S.No.8/2004, dated: 24.11.2009.
- **4.** The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

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- **5.** This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (Expr.PR&RD) Deptt. vide their U.O.No.14121/212/Expr.PR&RD/2010, dated: 9.6.2010.
- **6.** A copy of this order is available on the internet and can be accessed at www.ap.govt.in//goir.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M.V.P.C. SASTRY, SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

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The Superintending Engineer, P.R. Circle, Nalgonda. The APAO., Nalgonda.
The DT&A.,Hyderabad.
The Finance (Expr.&PR&RD)Dept.
The PS to M(PR)/PS to Spl.CS PR & RD Deptt.
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(((FORWARDED: BY ORDER)))

SECTION OFFICER